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Personal.

INFORMATION is wanted as to the whereabouts of Mr. PATRICK RING, who when last heard from was in the employ of Mr. A. R. at Port Moody in the capacity of Bridge Carpenter. Some 18 or 19 months ago a rumor reached his friends in New York State that he, with a number of other workmen, were quarantined for small pox at Port Moody. He was formerly a resident of Brockport, Monroe County, New York. Since that time, 18 or 20 months since, his friends have received no tidings from him. Any person knowing anything of his whereabouts will relieve a widowed mother's anxiety for an absent son by communicating such information to the TIMES office, Victoria, or to R. McDONALD, Tonawanda, New York State, U. S. july5

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June 9th, 1886.

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sep 1-ly W. H. MASON, Secretary.

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July 5

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VICTORIA'S ENEMY.

It is an open secret that the Provincial Secretary has been at all times pronounced in his hostility to Victoria being the capital of British Columbia. The Hon. JOHN ROBSON, as is known to many of our readers recently purchased a plot of ground in this city on which he last summer erected a mansion. During his canvass on the mainland, he repeatedly referred to his interests in the New Westminster district. This was done for the purpose of strengthening his position with the electors. But as that cry failed in its effect his pocket organ—the *Columbian*—then ground out the following relative to the removal of the capital from Victoria. The article appeared in its issue of the 3d inst.:

"*No one believes that the capital will remain at Victoria*, and in view of the fact there could be no possible justification for spending any large sum on parliament buildings. *Mr. Robson holds, and has always held, that the capital should be on the mainland*, and that it will eventually come hither; and he has never hesitated, and will not hesitate, to express and stand by his opinions when the time for action has arrived. When the question of fixing the seat of government permanently comes to be disposed of it will be fortunate for the mainland, and for this district in particular, if so staunch and able an advocate of our interests occupies a place in the house and in the cabinet."

Hon. JOHN ROBSON had a seat in the late Assembly and probably will in the next one. He is at present Provincial Secretary and undoubtedly the real leader in the cabinet and its councils. It will now be interesting to watch his policy in reference to the removal of the capital. If he has any regard for his pledges—those who know him best affirm that his pledges and promises are like chaff before the wind—he will be true to his promise "to express and stand by his opinions when the time for action has arrived." But what of the policy his colleagues intend pursuing on the question? Look out for squalls. One Jonah has been thrown over board; another victim will shortly be in readiness. Honest JOHN evidently must go.

A student in Michigan University wrote to a Kansas druggist about taking a place in his store as prescription clerk. This is what the druggist wrote back: "DEAR SIR yours Recd in Reply I will Give you a Brief Discription of our Buisness Perhaps you understand the nature of a Drug Store in Kansas we Do Some liquor Buisness in the Back Room By the Drink our Prescription trade Runs from two or three thousand Per year Some Clerks object from the back Room trade I Give you the facts in the case So that you will not be Disappointed your Bord By the week will cost you from $3.50 to $5.00 a week now if you except this Position answer by telegraph at once as I kneed a clerk very Bad & must have one as Soon as Possiable."

SOME of the Canadian papers are puzzling over the fact that the man of business, the manufacturer, the merchant, has to pay 7 to 8 per cent. for loans, while stockbrokers get accommodation at 4 or 5 per cent. The Toronto *Globe* refers to the difference as discrimination against merchants and manufacturers. The real explanation is simple. The banker prefers as security that which he can sell the quickest. The stock exchange affords an immediate market for stock and bonds, while the merchant's paper is, as a rule, backed by no such quick commodity. A suspicious security sometimes has a quicker market than another security of much greater actual worth. Better organization for the financial needs of the producing side of commerce is unquestionably needed. Gradually this will be supplied. This done, commercial paper will sell at better rates simply because more will be known about the conditions under which it is issued.

BEECHER IN LONDON.

An Enthusiastic Reception to the Great American Preacher.

LONDON, July 1.—Henry Ward Beecher preached a sermon to-day in the City Temple. He was introduced to the audience by the pastor, Dr. Parker. The entire audience rose and welcomed the American divine with cheers, that continued for several minutes, the women waving their handkerchiefs. Mrs. Beecher occupied a prominent pew in the front part of the auditorium. Dr. Parker, in introducing Mr. Beecher, referred to "the dark clouds which formerly hovered over Mr. Beecher's head." The English, he said, then sympathized with him. Mr. Beecher replied with much feeling, saying he was much touched by the kindness of the English people towards him, and that when the dark clouds hovered over him he did not see them, because it "pleased God to raise up a rainbow, so that I only saw the clouds as they were sinking below the horizon." Mr. Beecher, after the sermon, offered up a prayer. In this he asked a blessing for the Queen; that Her Majesty might have long life and greater influence, thus leading the Empire to a higher and more glorious civilization." He also prayed for "greater wisdom for the Queen's counsellors." The building was densely thronged. Mr. Beecher made an excellent impression upon all who saw and heard him.

Lady Randolph Churchill is one of the hardest election workers in London. Besides assisting her husband in Paddington, she makes frequent excursions to other districts to organize and encourage the women of the Primrose League.

ST. ANN'S CONVENT.

List of Prizes Awarded to Pupils Yesterday Afternoon.

We mentioned yesterday the closing exercises at this institution. There were present during the examinations His Grace Archbishop Seghers, Very Rev. J. J. Jonckbaan, V. G., Father Mandart, Father Fay, and Father Nan Nevel, and others. At the close of the proceedings, which were of a more than ordinary interesting character, His Grace presented the prizes:

THE PRIZE LIST.

Religious instruction and ribbon of merit, awarded to Miss Anna Christian. Good conduct and ribbon of merit, awarded to Miss Esther Welsh. Gold medal awarded for general application, won by Miss Clara Phillips. His Excellency the Governor-General's medal, awarded for politeness to Miss Ettie Loat. Prize for politeness and ribbon of merit, Miss Lottie Spring. First prize for vocal music, awarded to Miss Annie Shaw.

FIRST CLASS.

Miss Clara Phillips—First prize in excellence, arithmetic, history, philosophy, physical geography, writing; second in instrumental music, rhetoric, astronomy, problems on the globe, fancy work. Miss Kate Sullivan—First prize in rhetoric, astronomy, problems on the globe; second in history, philosophy, physical geography.

SECOND CLASS.

Miss Teresa Sullivan—First prize in excellence, logical analysis, grammar, ancient history. Second Division—First in arithmetic; composition, 2d; writing, 3d. Miss Abbie McKay—First prize in excellence, grammar, botany, ancient history. Second Division—First in modern history; second in arithmetic. Miss Esther Welsh—First division—First in arithmetic, rhetoric, ancient history, writing; second in botany, composition. Miss Annie Christian—First in French fancy work, plain sewing, geography; modern history, 2nd; rhetoric, 3rd; instrumental music 4th. Miss Winnie Gilligan—First in geography, arithmetic. First divison—First in ancient history, ornamental and plain writing; second in rhetoric. Miss Annie Rourke—First in assiduity, logical analysis, geography; second in grammar, ancient history and arithmetic, second division.

Miss Annie Shaw—First in ornamental writing, fancy work, plain sewing; second in analysis, ancient history (2nd division) 3rd in grammar, composition, 2nd in drawing, 4th in instrumental music. Miss Lilly Byrnes—First in writing, order and neatness; 2nd in rhetoric, ancient history, 3rd in arithmetic (1st division). Miss Lottie Spring—First in composition, arithmetic (2nd division). First in drawing, 2nd in analysis, grammar and writing. Miss Kittie McDowell—First in rhetoric and botany, 2nd in modern history, 3rd in composition, 3rd in arithmetic (1st division). Miss M. Ann Dougherty—First in [illegible] ancient history (1st division); 3rd in geography, 4th in botany. Miss Ettie Loat—First in modern history, orthography; second in geography and reading; 3rd in composition and music, 4th in grammar and reading. Miss Flora O'Brien—First in reading, 2nd in geography, 3rd in arithmetic. Miss Louisa George—Third in geography and ancient history. Miss Gertie Moore—Third in geography, 4th in arithmetic. Absent members of this class—Misses Emma Tye, Katie Burnes, Lizzie Christiason, Bertie Murray, Pauline Medana, Addie Van Volkenburgh, Leah Phillips.

THIRD CLASS.

Miss Della Caplan—First in excellence, reading, geography and history; second in grammar, arithmetic and composition; third in spelling, fourth in music (2nd course.) Miss Katie Rourke—First in grammar, geography and arithmetic; second in history and third in reading and spelling. Miss Eva Macdonald—First in composition, history, geography, and domestic economy; second in grammar, third in reading. Miss Fanny Hodges—First composition, second spelling, history, reading, first writing, (2nd course) third grammar, arithmetic, second plain sewing. Miss Annie Welsh—First grammar, arithmetic, reading, second geography, history, spelling, composition. Miss Mamie Rogers—First speller, history, second reading, composition, grammar. Miss Catino Romanoff—First music, (2nd course) writing, second speller, geography, third reading, arithmetic. Miss Mary Jane McNiffe—First writing, (second course); second reading, spelling; third geography, music, (2nd course.) Miss Bertha Keast—Second composition; third grammar, arithmetic, geography, spelling. Miss Lizzie Styles—First music, (2nd course); second French; third reading, geography. Miss Ella Madigan—second arithmetic; third geography, history, grammar. Miss A. Belanger—second arithmetic; third geography, history plain sewing. Miss Dora Jackson—Third speller, geography. Miss Bertha Fiterre—second spelling, reading; third composition. Miss Hattie Watkins—second writing, (2nd course); third reading, spelling. Miss Flora Howard—second reading, history, third geography, speller. Miss Mamie Dwyer—third composition, speller, reading. Absent members—Bella Morses, Mary Ann Drantt, Frances Murray.

FOURTH CLASS.

Annie Wellbank—1st reading, spelling, writing, (3rd class) 2nd geography. Nellie Moss—1st assiduity, writing, (3rd class); 2nd geography, grammar. Maggie Dougherty—1st reading, spelling, 3rd grammar. Ida Tierney—1st religious instructions, arithmetic, 2nd grammar. Rosina Bantly—1st arithmetic, crochet work, 3rd spelling. Agnes Muirhead—1st assiduity, grammar; 2nd writing, (3rd course); 3rd geography. Ella Leiser—1st spelling, 2nd grammar; 3rd arithmetic. Katie Pappenberger—1st arithmetic, 2nd geography; 3rd spelling. Sophie McNiffe—1st geography; 2nd reading; 3rd spelling. Nellie Murphy—1st reading; 2nd grammar, arithmetic. Katie Gabriel—1st reading; 2nd geography; 3rd grammar. Miss Ida Waitt—1st grammar, 2nd reading; 3rd arithmetic. Jennie McDonald—1st geography; 2nd arithmetic. Fanny Marks—1st spelling; 3rd reading. Jennie McMillan—1st grammar; 2nd reading. Barbara Keast—1st geography, 3rd grammar. Jennie Sullivan—1st geography; 2nd arithmetic. Maggie Tansey—1st reading; 3rd geography. Annie Keast—1st geography; 3rd spelling. Nora Sullivan—2nd spelling; 3rd reading. Dollie Glover—2nd spelling, 3rd reading. Mamie Lear—3rd mending, 4th geography. Eliza Baker—3rd geography. Absent members of this class—J Sullivan and M. King.

FIFTH CLASS.

Flossie Leiser—1st reading, spelling, arithmetic; 2d geography. Agnes Dougherty—1st reading, spelling, arithmetic. Maud Oakes—1st spelling, arithmetic, reading. Stella Myers—1st spelling, arithmetic; 2d reading. Teresa Moses—1st reading, arithmetic; 2d geography, spelling. Marcella Drant—1st geography; 2d arithmetic, spelling, reading. Lizzie Grimm—1st geography; 2d reading; 3d spelling. Agnes Choquette—1st speller; 3d arithmetic, geography. Dolly Wilson—1st reading; 2d spelling, geography, arithmetic. Julia Haley—1st crochet work; 2d arithmetic; 3d geography; 4th spelling. Nettie Gabriel—1st spelling; 2d reading, arithmetic. Maggie Marks—1st reading; 2d spelling; 3d arithmetic. Annie Vigelius—2d arithmetic; 3d speller. Katie Phillips—3d speller; 4th arithmetic. Cecelia Ward—3d reading.

SIXTH CLASS—SECOND READER.

Martha Tierney—First reading, spelling, arithmetic. Maggie McNiffe—First reading, spelling, arithmetic. Louisa Marboeuf—First reading, spelling; 2nd arithmetic. Lizzie Taylor—First reading; 2nd arithmetic. Mary Sullivan—First arithmetic; 2nd speller. Clara Belanger—Second speller, arithmetic. Clemena Coax—Third reading, arithmetic. Francis McDonald—Third reading. Annie Barker—Fourth reading. Lizzie Bray—Fifth reading. Susie Bray—Fifth reading.

FIRST READER.

Annie Grimm—1st reading, spelling. Nellie McGirr—1st reading, spelling, arithmetic. Louisa Sehl—1st speller; 2nd reading. Lucille Taylor—1st spelling; 2nd reading. Lizzie Sullivan—1st arithmetic; 2nd speller. Emma Sehl—1st reading. Matilda Heal—1st in reading. Marie Beckingham—Second in reading. Edith Madden—Third in reading. Ethel Baines—Fourth in reading.

Primer—Alice Moss, Louisa Albany, Bella Shepard, Maud McGirr, Violet Kinsella, Lena Kelly, Martha Madana, Cora Heat, Etta Bowman, Louisa Wall, Mary Gowan, Josie Davies, Jenny Laing, Estella Aikman, Augusta Belanger, Mary Ann Bridges, Angeline Costa, Daisy Bridges, Gertie Heal, Menia Mellington, Flora Wagg, Bernadette Costa, Amy Leiser, Laura Glover, Maggie Murray, Maude Laugridge, Josephine Marboeuf, Bernadette Belanger, Rosy Hall, Gertie Myer.

ALBERNI NEWS.

Steady and sure we are progressing in our Alberni valley with its almost semi-tropical climate and its fertile soil. Additional settlers are pouring in from every quarter of the continent and locating claims for their adopted homesteads, just as well contented are the former settlers who are always busy in improving their farms. Buildings and clearing are the order of the day, and the time is not distant when the appearance of the country will be changed entirely. We can surely flatter ourselves we have the best class of men in our settlement, which could probably be found either in British Columbia nor elsewhere, law-abiding and orderly, industrious and sober. On Dominion day we had a grand [illegible] in the valley, to celebrate the grand day with a picnic, games and races. The latter were under the guidance of the Alberni Caledonian Society and came off well. Cash prizes were liberally distributed to the lucky winners. After the games, ladies and gentlemen thronged to the dancing hall, where a splendid dinner was served by Mr. Saunders, the hotel and storekeeper. After dinner, dancing began and was kept up until early next morning. This day will be quite well remembered by all the settlers as the first successful attempt to gather the population together in merry making. Frank McQuillan, proprietor of the general merchandise store, received the first prize in dancing and deserves also praise for his able management of the festival.

ARGONAUT.

HIGGINS' ODIOUS RECORD.

CHICAGO, July 6.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: No man appointed to office since the advent of this administration has received the abuse and condemnation of so large a number of people as Eugene Higgins, appointment clerk of the treasury department. But with all the criticisms no one has yet found out that he once held the position of under keeper at Libby prison, in Richmond, during the war. Higgins, it is said, was living in Richmond when the war commenced, and was appointed to the place named, and remaining there until just before the surrender of Gen. Lee. It is therefore not surprising that he possesses such hatred for Republicans, and especially for ex-Union soldiers, a large number of whom he has been mainly instrumental in having dismissed from the treasury department.

[It is not known whether the Higgins mentioned in the above is any relation to D. W. Higgins, "the Bowery chap" of this city, but it is most likely, as they both are Americans and can say with impunity "Thank God I am not an Englishman."

AN OTTAWA ELOPEMENT.

OTTAWA, June 30.—Miss Annie Monnette, the 17-year-old daughter of Robert Monnette, a wealthy railway contractor, who retired from business some years ago, is reported to have fled with William Johnson, who lives at Manotic, a few miles from Marlborough. Johnson has no regular business, but is occasionally employed as a jockey. He is not yet out of his teens. He has been for some time an admirer of Miss Monnette, and she has met him frequently in spite of the strongest opposition on the part of her parents. Miss Monnette, who is still in short dresses, is a brunette, with a plump, round figure. She is an heiress to $200,000. She has been greatly admired by the young men living near her father's residence. When the girl's parents learned of the attentions Johnson was paying her, they ordered him to discontinue, but she met him in secret. In her bedroom was found a note addressed to her mother, in which she wrote that she was married to Johnson, and that they were going to Boston. She took with her a large quantity of handsome clothing and her jewelry. Her parents are nearly frantic with grief and indignation over her disappearance.

CRICKET.

A game will be played at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon between players over thirty years of age and their younger fellow cricketers. The eleven of over thirty will comprise Messrs. C. E. Pooley, E. M. Bovill, D. M. Eberts, C. B. Palmer, H. E. Crossdaile, A. W. Jones, J. W. Sinclair, Drummond, H. J. Campbell, His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Captain Rose, R. N. The side under thirty will also be a strong one and good cricket may confidently be expected.

The Hon. S. H. Blake has gone to England, and expects to be absent from Toronto for about three months.

THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 9th, 3.30 p. m.—Following is the result of the ballots cast in this district at the election last Wednesday:

Robson	420
Ladner	365
Orr	358
Kirkland	348
McGillivray	331
Wells	250
Agassiz	142
Isaac	17
Dawson	11
Kennedy	7

Spoiled ballots 17.

At the election of 1882 the following received the votes named:

Robson	262
Orr	168
Kirkland	127
Ladner	32
Dawson	15
Isaac	[illegible]

RESULT IN COMOX.

Comox via Nanaimo, July 9.—The following is the result of the poll:

Stenhouse	45
Dingwall	40
Robb	33
McKelvey	10

At the last general election the vote polled was:

Dingwall	67
Crawford	14
Robson	2

NANAIMO ELECTION.

Reports from Nanaimo indicate the return of Messrs. Dunsmuir and Raybould by considerable majorities. The counting of the ballots took place to-day and the following has been transmitted as the result of the contest:

Dunsmuir	306
Raybould	267
O'Brian	192
McKenzie	134
Thompson	90
Lewis	78
Meyers	30

Had there been but four candidates in the field the result so far as Mr. Dunsmuir is concerned might not have been changed, but it is certain that one opposition candidate would have been elected. Mr. Dunsmuir's majority over Dr. O'Brian was 174, and 99 over Mr. Raybould, whose majority over Dr. O'Brian was 75.

At the general election in 1882 the vote stood:

Dunsmuir	229
Raybould	185
Quennall	167
Hinksman	152
Barnston	37

The total vote cast in 1882 was 770, and this year it was 1157, a considerable increase.

LILLOOET ELECTION.

The Chilcotin Ballot Box Supposed to be Lost.

CACHE CREEK, July 9.—The ballot boxes from Lillooet and Chilcotin polling places were not received up to noon. The latter is supposed to have been lost in crossing the river. Ballots for Cariboo district will be counted on Monday, 12th inst.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

The Sullivan Government Sustained—A Very Bitter Contest—A Cabinet Minister Defeated.

A Charlottetown, P. E. I., despatch of the 2nd instant, states that the latest reports indicate the return of nine Conservatives and one Liberal in Kings; five Conservatives and five Liberals in Queen's and probably six Conservatives and four Liberals in Prince County. The Commissioner of Public Works, Mr. Campbell, was the only member of the cabinet defeated.

The issues upon which the contest was run were "Liberalism and reciprocity," introduced by the Hon L. H. Davies, one of the Ottawa representatives. Premier Fielding, of Nova Scotia paid a visit to the Island, but his influence was of no avail, the Conservative party held their own. There is evidently no secession feeling in that Island. The contest was a most bitter one, as the following will illustrate. The Charlottetown *Herald*, the organ of the Catholic party in one of its editorials says: "About the meanest man in political life in this island is Donald Farquharson. We can admire a bold, unblushing liar like L. D. Davies, but a sneaking, quibbling shuffler, who takes advantage of a man's absence to attack his private character and then refuses to produce proof for his charges is the most contemptible creature we know of. He is a dangerous man, a social pest, a moral assassin." Premier Sullivan is a Catholic, and in order to influence Orangemen against him and his government, a violent Orange circular was scattered broadcast over the island. This excited the Orangemen and exasperated the Catholics greatly; and, in order to make this exasperation more effectual, ex-Cabinet Minister and ex-Governor Laird, in his paper, the *Patriot* stated that it was conceived by a Tory and printed in the *Herald* office, the Catholic Tory organ." This was promptly denied by that paper, whose editor asserted that it was written by the Orange leaders and issued from the press of the *Protestant Union* newspaper offices. The discussion of this matter at a meeting at Vernon River created great excitement, and wound up with a disgraceful fight. An eye-witness thus describes the scene: "A man in the crowd said the circulars were issued by the Tories, and from the *Herald* office. Rev. S. G. Lawson, who was not present at the time, was most unmercifully blackguarded, and dire threats were made as to what would be done if he dared to show his face. For a time the scene was one of complete disorder, and, in the height of the hubbub, Mr. Lawson, who is a well known Presbyterian minister of a very aggressive stamp, did put in an appearance, and walked boldly on the platform to face his slanderers and rebut their statement. The howling, hooting mob did their best to keep him from speaking. Eggs were pelted at him, and finally he was pulled from the platform and his coat torn right up the back. Men who have some pride in Vernon River felt disgraced, and respectable Grits felt ashamed, but Mr. Lawson accomplished his object by informing the audience that the circulars were printed at the Union office, and he procured copies of them to circulate and show the people what sort of unscrupulous scoundrels they had to deal with. The meeting closed in disorder, and Mr. Lawson took refuge in a local hotel until each time as he could get away in safety."

SILVER QUESTION.

Important Discussion on the Subject in London—A Warm Debate.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The *Sun's* special London dispatch says: An important meeting of the British and Colonial Chambers of Commerce was held to-day at which there was an animated discussion of the silver question and its bearings upon the commerce of India, Australia and Great Britain. Henry H. Dobbs, ex-Governor of the Bank of England, opened the proceedings by a speech, showing the importance of restoring the monetary value of silver. Sir Robert N. Fowler, M. P., a London banker and ex-Lord Mayor, opposed the idea; and was followed by two Indian members. Both of these contended that the effect of the depreciation of silver must be finally the ruin of the wheat and cotton industries of America, and development of India as the chief wheat and cotton exporter of the world. They therefore asserted that [illegible] the expense [illegible] DR. CLARK, an East India merchant, argued that England had other interests besides those of India which stood sorely in need of the restoration of silver, and trusted that Mr. Dobb's ideas would be adopted by the meeting. Mr. Crump, of the London *Times*, denounced the agitation of the silver question as the work of silver miners of Nevada and their allies the Washington ring. Morton Frewer pulverized Mr. Crump, in a strong speech in behalf of farmers in the west, and planters in the south of America, and the resolution was passed by a vote of 28 to 25, amidst great excitement, declaring that the demonetization of silver would relieve the depression under which trade is now staggering. The meeting is regarded as highly important, and its influence upon the coming silver demonetization in Lancashire must necessarily be very strong.

FAILURES IN CANADA

And the United States of the Past Six Months—A Favorable Showing as a Whole.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Dun, Wiman & Co., report that the failures in the Dominion of Canada for the first six months of 1886 number 699 with liabilities of $5,[illegible]3,030 as against 690 in the first half of 1885 with liabilities of $5,166,0[illegible] showing that the number of failures for the two half years are almost identical, but with liabilities increased by $400,000 in 1886. This, while not altogether encouraging, is very favorable when compared with the figures for the first half of 1884 when there were 742 failures, with liabilities of over $10,500,000. In the United States the failures for the first half of 1886 numbered 5,156, with liabilities of $50,[illegible]0,000, as compared with 6,604 in the first six month of 1885, with liabilities of nearly $70,000,000, a most surprising decrease, showing the strain upon the commercial community during the last few months arising from labor troubles and consequent loss of confidence and restriction of enterprise. The semi annual circular of the agency just issued speaks most hopefully of the prospect for the autumn trade, now that a better condition of things exists.

PROBABILITIES.

A London special of the 6th says: The elections to-day follow the broad lines of previous days since the polling commenced. The Tories return nearly all seats they held before the contest, and the liberals lose a few. The enormous abstention of liberals reported remain the prominent feature of the fight. This feature of the struggle is more prominent because of the fact that the tories, with not many exceptions, are polling about the same number of votes as in November. Returns from Scotland prove that the northern kingdom is no longer to be trusted to stand solid for Gladstone. The hopeful phase of the situation is that the narrow majorities by which the tories are winning seats will make a strong tory ministry out of the question. The result of the present complicated affairs is that the opening of the new parliament will find the Parnellites absolute masters of all possible ministries.

SHELVED FOR THE PRESENT.

Times' London special: The followers of Gladstone do not yet propose to throw up the sponge, but they cannot disguise the fact that the battle is going against them. Whether Gladstone may finally save a small majority or not, indications are now decidedly that he will not. There is very little doubt that a satisfactory solution of the question is shelved for an indefinite period. There is very little doubt, also, that there is much trouble in store for the men who have been the immediate cause of the disruption of the Liberal party. Knowing ones predict that Gladstone will so change the Home Rule bill that neither the Hartingtonites nor the Chamberlainites will dare to vote against him. This is undoubtedly Gladstone's trump card. Whether he will play it or not is a question. Leading Home Rulers are not confident, but they still hope for success.

SPEECH BY THE PRINCE OF WALES.

LONDON, June 29.—The Lord Mayor entertained the Prince of Wales and a number of distinguished colonists at the Mansion House to-night. The Prince of Wales made a speech in which he said that the Colonial Exhibition would mark an epoch in the Queen's reign. The greatest pride of his life was to knit together in bonds of friendship the colonies and England. He hoped to form a permanent colonial museum in London. He declared that all had one great desire at heart, namely, to preserve the unity and strength of the empire. (Cheers.) General Middleton responded to the toast "The Canadian Militia," and the Marquis of Lorne to that of "The Colonial Empire."

MAXWELL DENIED A NEW TRIAL.

ST. LOUIS, July 7.—Judge Van Wagoner of the Criminal Court to-day overruled the motion made recently by Maxwell's attorney's for a new trial. As soon as the prisoner shall have been sentenced an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court. If this shall prove unsuccessful the case will be taken to the United States Court on the ground that the state law, which allows the prosecution more challenges of jurors than the defense, is unconstitutional.

ANOTHER EUROPEAN WAR CLOUD.

LONDON, July 8.—The Russian government is pressing the Porte to pay the indemnity due Russia.

A dispatch to the News from Bulgaria says: Russian agents are swarming all over Macedonia. Russian [illegible] urge Russia to intervene in Bulgaria because Prince Alexander is secretly disposed by his own subjects.

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THE REPEAL MOVEMENT IN CAPE BRETON.

Mr. Addison F. Browne, of Halifax, writing to the Toronto *Week* concerning the recent election in Nova Scotia, of Cape Breton thus writes: The most sanguine friends of Repeal in the late election hardly expected that their party would secure more than two of the eight members that come to Halifax from the four Cape Breton counties. But it turns out that four extreme Liberals have been chosen, and one gentleman designated as an Independent. But the Repeal cry does not appear to have produced any great impression, either one way or the other; and the promise of the Dominion Government to do something loyal in the way of railroads, as it was made only a very short time before voting day, seems to have been received with considerable distrust. The incredulous islanders will tell you that a word of this kind, which comes from a place so far away as Ottawa, must be taken with a deal of allowance. Many who have not visited these counties supposed them intensely loyal alike to Canada and the Mother-country. But while they are not lacking in a national feeling, their deepest love is always for their native land. Cape Breton folk who go away to seek the fortune which cannot be found at home, we meet them in Boston, New York, and other American cities, speak with the most joyful anticipation of the time when they will have made their pile and can return to the good northern country of their childhood. There has been some talk about a desire on the part of Cape Breton to separate from Nova Scotia, and it is even said one or two of the new members are pledged to work for this result. But a most careful inquiry, which has extended to every district of the island, fails to reveal any deep or wide-spread sentiment of this nature. Very likely some individuals who are in a position to have their words heard may have personal reasons for disliking any government located at Halifax; just as a few Nova Scotians, with more voice than brain, are shouting for annexation to the United States. Disregarding such wild talkers, a great majority of these independent thinkers are well satisfied with Cape Breton's present relations to the neighboring peninsula. Did any reason actually exist for terminating these relations, the people certainly have the courage and energy for taking immediate steps in that direction. And in such a case we should hear something very different from the vague rumors at present floating about, which do not give evidence of being anything beyond campaign documents. Among the reasons why so many annually emigrate from Cape Breton is the fact that the number of births always vastly exceeds the number of deaths. Were all the stalwart young men and women constantly growing up in such numbers to remain at home, the country would soon have a population which its utmost resources could not support.

The London *Spectator* says: Foreign opinion would seem to be, in the main, friendly to Home Rule, upon two grounds. The Radical and Romanist papers think it would be either democratic victory or a victory for Catholicism, while the Conservative journals, and especially the Royalist journals of France, think that it would substantially weaken the external power of Great Britain. Only the journals which, like the Italian *Diritto*, seriously dread any diminution of English influence in the world, are heartily with Unionists. As no nation ever quite understands another, foreign opinion on domestic affairs is not usually of much value; but the secession of a province is hardly a domestic affair. American opinion is separate; but not to mention the anxiety of parties in America to catch the Irish vote, the people of the United States are accustomed to Federalism, and, in spite of their civil war, think it is natural arrangement for freemen. If ever a State of the Union falls entirely into Irish hands, which might happen if Irishmen really wished to be self governing, our friends across the water will probably reconsider their opinion, and perhaps stretch their Constitution a little.

The infant King of Spain, who has been christened Alfonso-Leo-Fernando-James-Mary-Isidore-Pascal, already has a "household" of his own. Among the functionaries is a "surgeon-dentist to His Majesty," whose office is to take charge of the royal teeth—when they come.

WHAT WILL FOLLOW.

With Mr. Gladstone's defeat at the polls will follow in all probability, the abdication for the time being, of Ireland's uncrowned king. At the Fenian convention to be held at Chicago, in August, the conduct of the Parliamentary campaign by Mr. Parnell is to be discussed; and, as by that time, it may be hoped, the people of England will have shown unmistakably that they have no intention to surrender to Fenianism, we may expect that the Parnellite method of warfare will be discarded and a return made to dynamite and open insurrection. Ever since the Kilmainham treaty, Mr. Parnell appears to have been drawing apart from the extremists in America. That treaty was scoffed at by the *Irish World* as a Parnellite surrender, and when the Gladstone Home Rule bill was introduced the same paper, it will be remembered, repudiated it utterly. At the Cincinnati convention, two or three years ago, Mr. Parnell, addressing an Irish-American audience, declared he would never rest till the last link that bound Ireland to England was severed, and he was frequently and much the same thing since; but at the last moment, when, on the night of the division on the Gladstone bill, Home Rule of any kind seemed to be slipping from his grasp, he professed his willingness to accept a very moderate measure indeed. It cannot, however, be supposed that such a measure would satisfy the extremists on this side of the Atlantic; in offering to accept it Mr. Parnell was perhaps simply carrying out the instructions of his employers, whose aim it has of late been to publicly praise Mr. Gladstone's bill in order to bamboozle the nation into granting what, supposed to be a finality, would really be accepted by the Fenians only as a means of getting more—a stepping-stone, and a huge step, to separation. But Mr. Parnell has failed to even get this; and if the approaching elections should confirm his failure, he will have either to place himself in hostility to the American-Irish Extremists or to go heartily with them in their methods. Which will he do! In the first case he may count on the support of the rival Nationalist organization — what is known as the Hoffman House party — who are comparatively moderate and respectable, but, therefore, weaker. In the other case he can hardly expect still to retain his command—at any rate he will lose any independence he now possesses; and what will be his chances when government is again re-established in England, as it must be?

IN TIGHT QUARTERS.

A contemporary remarks: Now that the Bourbon and Bonaparte pretenders have been shipped to foreign parts, where they will have leisure to embroider the *Fleur-de-lis* upon white silk, or watch the training of tame eagles, the French legislators are attending to more serious business. They have referred to a committee the bill to authorize the Panama Canal Company to issue a lottery loan of $120,000,000. But though a prompt report upon the subject may now be looked for, it will decide nothing, for, whatever be its tenor, the sharp controversy over the Lesseps proposition, which began in the cabinet and is now transferred to the committee, is sure to be continued in the Chamber of Deputies. At the first glance the prospect of obtaining a government sanction for the desired loan may seem worse than it was a month ago. The bill approving the new issue managed to secure ratification in the cabinet by a vote of 6 to 3, whereas the committee just elected by the Chamber is reported to comprise only three members for, while there are eight against the bill. The disproportion, it is said, would have been materially less but for the absence of a good many reactionary deputies, who at the time of the committee's selection were the wobegone eyewitnesses of the Bourbon hegira from Europe which produced such a prostrating effect upon the New York *Herald* correspondent. But there is ground more relevant and solid than the rally of a handful of Legitimists for the serene confidence evinced by the canal's supporters in the final approval of their loan. It is true that the purport of the opinion given by the government expert, M. Rousseau, proves to have been correctly indicated weeks ago, in two important points at least, by a Paris newspaper. It is denied by M. Rousseau that the canal can possibly be finished within the time of for the outlay named by M. de Lesseps, and it is submitted that the government, having no control over the contracts or plans of the company, ought in no wise to guarantee any of its obligations. That, however, is not the whole of the report, nor is it probably the feature which in the end will have decisive weight with the Chamber of Deputies and the French community at large. M. Rousseau begins with an averment made with an emphasis and fervor which he means to be infectious. Not only, he says, is the completion of the canal entirely practicable, but its abandonment cannot be thought of, for such a course would be disastrous not only to the company's stockholders who are nearly all Frenchmen, but to French influence. It is plain enough that M. Rousseau in this report is talking with two voices, and it is not hard to guess which will make the loudest echo. He virtually says: When I protest against lending the credit of the government on dubious security, I am speaking as a civil engineer who has been paid to give an honest judgment, and whose livelihood depends upon his repute for probity. When I declare that the abandonment of the canal would be a national calamity, I am speaking as a patriot who loves his country and is proud of her. But, inasmuch as the canal will have to be given up unless the government will aid in launching the new loan the chances are that some kind of a guarantee will be ultimately forthcoming.

TO THE ELECTORS OF

Cassiar District.

GENTLEMEN—

As you are again called upon to select a representative to attend to your interests in the Legislature, I offer myself as a candidate for that honorable position, at the request of a number of electors, and respectfully solicit your support and votes.

I am opposed to the general policy of the present Government; fully believing that if they should be retained in power for another term, their past practice of frittering away the people's money for the purpose of buying votes, by unjust discrimination, will ultimately end in heavy indebtedness and consequent increased taxation.

The government having had a largely increased revenue, principally augmented by land payments and sales thereof, have so manipulated the public monies that the full benefits which ought to have accrued to the province have not been realized. The debt of the province consequently has been largely increased, without any corresponding benefit.

As the Government have alienated very large tracts of the public domain, without the country receiving an equivalent, there is not any guarantee that they will not pursue the same policy in the future.

The whole conduct of the government, during the last four sessions, has proved conclusively to unbiased, thinking men, that they really were not possessed of any real defined policy, but moved from day to day as a few of their servile followers and dictators indicated.

In the matter of the Settlement Bill they acknowledged that they could only deal with the propositions which it contained as dictated by the Dominion Government, stating in the Legislature, when the bill was before that body, that they were not allowed to make any alteration in the smallest matter, but that our Legislature had to accept or reject it as it was, clinching that position with the statement that the local powers could not even change the stroke of a "t" or the dot of an "i." Was this not very humiliating?

The conduct of the premier, in divulging the intended action of the Executive, is in itself a crime of that reprehensible character, which ought to consign him and his government to oblivion for ever.

As the future prosperity of this Province depends largely upon wise legislation, I am of opinion that a scheme should be perfected, with the object of enabling those to reclaim agricultural lands who may not have the means to do so. A plan of this kind, having obtained elsewhere, with beneficial results, — and if carried into effect would enable our farmers to supply the wants of this country; thereby keeping the money among ourselves which now goes to our cousins across the line.

Knowing that one of the most important of our latent resources is quartz mining, a scheme ought to be promulgated which would tend at once to its development.

Seeing that British Columbia owes so much to her placer mines, the Government ought to be instructed to encourage a search for new fields, by offering a bonus by way of a percentage to the discoverer, on the mining licenses issued, or claims recorded.

One of the measures which ought to engross the attention of the next Legislature is a system of assisted white immigration for the purpose of supplying help to replace that class conceded by nearly all to be objectionable.

Believing that the true interests of our Province are general, and not local, I am in favor of the Legislature assisting the establishment of a ferry from the termini of the Canadian Pacific Railway to the Island, knowing that in its accomplishment the mainland would not be injured; at the same time the Island undoubtedly would be benefited.

The encouragement of manufactures, ought, under all circumstances, to receive the best attention of the new House, so that employment at home may be had for both old and young.

The Alaska boundary ought to be established and fixed so as to prevent complications in the future, which could be done most satisfactory and at less expense to both countries if a general average line between several points were agreed upon. An agreement could be more easily arrived at now than at a time when valuable international interests may crop up.

Generally, the particular interests of the district, as well as those of the whole province, if elected, shall at all times claim my best attention and endeavors.

Yours, very respectfully,

JOHN GRANT.

Supreme Court.

In the matter of ALEX. McLEAN and others, Plaintiffs; and the CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA and THOMAS RUSSELL, the Water Commissioner, Defendants, and of the Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1878, and the Amending Acts.

ON THE APPLICATION of Mr. Russell, the Water Commissioner, and by and with the consent of Mr. McLean, act in on behalf of himself and others who obtained the Injunction in this cause, and on the undertaking of the Mayor by and on behalf of the Corporation, and Mr. Russell, the Water Commissioner, that a fair and ample supply of water shall be furnished to the residents and taxpayers on the upper levels of the city for and during the period hereinafter named and with a view to enable an available plan to be considered and matured for securing an ultimate permanent supply to the residents of the upper levels as well as those of the other parts of the city: It is hereby ordered that the period named in the Order of this Court dated the 27th day of May last, for the temporary suspension of the Injunction be hereby extended to and until the 10th day of August next, without prejudice to the rights of the Mayor and Corporation, the Water Commissioner, or the parties obtaining the Injunction, and with leave to all or either of the said parties to apply in case of noncompliance with the order.

Dated the 17th June, 1886.

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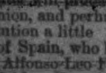

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Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56, Sooke District, thence due north 80 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 160 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the southwest corner of said lake, thence west forty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence east to the shore of the lake; thence southerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

A. M. NANTON.

Dated May 5, 1886. my18-2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a creek emptying out of a lake south of Powell's Lake and described as follows: Commencing at a stake at the southwest corner of M. C. Ireland's location on said lake; thence west eighty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north eighty chains, so the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 7, 1886. my18-2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake north of Gordon Pasha Lake; and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about half a mile west of a stake on the south west corner of said lake; thence north eighty chains; thence west forty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east forty chains to the place of commencement.

J. R. WAGHORN.

Dated May 7, 1886. May 18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake north of Gordon Pasha Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the northwest corner of said lake; thence west eighty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east forty chains; thence north eighty chains to the place of commencement.

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TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a creek emptying out of a lake south of Powell's Lake and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the southwest corner of M. C. Ireland's location on said lake; thence west eighty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence south eighty chains, so the place of commencement.

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Dated May 7, 1886. May 18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about half way up on west side of said lake; thence west 40 chains; thence north forty chains; thence east to the lake; thence southerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5 1886. may31 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 19, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northwest corner of said Section 19, thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 19, 48, 47, 46, Sooke District, thence westerly along the north boundaries of Sections 20, 21 and 22 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land, situate in the Kamloops division of Yale District, and described as follows: Commencing at the quarter section post between Sections 4 and 9, Township No. 24; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west eighty chains to the point of commencement.

A. A. GREEN.

May 23rd, 1886. jn8 w 2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in the Kamloops division of Yale District, and described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of A. A. Green's application; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west eighty chains to point of commencement.

STEPHEN TINGLEY.

May 21st, 1886. jn8 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains, thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TURWHITT DRAKE.

Victoria, B. C., 12th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 40 acres of land situated on the northern end of Galiano Island, to the northeast of and adjoining the Indian Reserve.

EMER FRIER.

Victoria, May 25, 1886. may28 w 2m

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An Adjunct of Justices Machinery.

I know a very dapper old man who lives in a Broadway hotel and dresses and looks like a gentleman and a man of 40, though he is a wicked old rogue of at least 65. He is rich, and is what they call a "backer" in police vernacular—that is, he advances money to burglars and thieves who need to do a job that requires fine tools or one in which a bank clerk is to be bribed. He backs gambling games and lottery offices, and all that sort of thing as well. Ostensibly he is a retired capitalist. He says he made his money in sugar in Louisiana before the war.

He has for a family a beautiful, lady-like woman, whom he calls his wife, and two lovely little girls, to whom he speaks only German in the morning, only French in the afternoon, and only English between 6-o'clock dinner and bed-time. They are good little children and say their prayers at his knees whenever he is at home to hear them. Now this old man is a great adjunct of the machinery of justice. He deals with the principal thieves, burglars, forgers, counterfeiters, and knaves of all kinds constantly. Suppose one of them does not deal fairly with him—cheats him, quarrels with him, blabs about him, takes to drinking, and becomes loose-tongued, or does anything that makes the old gentleman angry or uneasy. Well, what then? He is in jail before long—caught in the act or nabbed for a past offense that the police could not at the time throw any light upon.—New York Letter.

Ghastly Sights Unwholesome for Children.

I was surprised to learn the other day that the morgue was free to all curiosity mongers, and that the school children were in the habit of trooping into that horrible place to gaze upon the ghastly objects exposed to general view for identification. The effects of such sights upon adults is bad, but upon children it is exceptionally perilous. It demoralizes mankind to familiarize them with the things that are inseparably associated with death. All things connected with death are repugnant to the healthy mind. Disease is one of these, and vice, which is but a type of disease and death, is another.

The danger which arises from a familiarity with these morbid conditions of existence lies in the fact that the same taste which familiarizes itself without sufficient reason with signs of physical death and sufferings in disease, could readily be made familiar with vice and wickedness. After maturity we have a degree of elasticity and power of self-assertion which enables us to withstand disease or the insidious effect upon the mind of things we see. Adults, in a measure, however, are affected by everything they see and hear, but with children everything they see and hear goes to form character.—Jesuit Father in Globe Democrat.

Hanged a Hebrew by Mistake.

On the Russian frontier it once happened that an officer was playing at cards with a friend, when a Jew was trying to smuggle himself into the Russian empire without a proper vise of his passport. The sentinel on guard arrested him and reported to the officer. "All right," said he. Hours afterward the sentinel again asked what he was to do with the Jew. The captain, furious at being interrupted, shouted, "Why d—— the Jew! Hang him!"

The captain went on playing until the morning, when suddenly remembering the prisoner, he called the soldier and said, "Bring in the Jew!" "The Jew!" said the amazed soldier; "but I hanged him, as you ordered." "What!" said the captain, "you have committed murder!" He arrested him, and the judgment—death—went up to the emperor. Inquiring, before signing so serious a document, and learning how matters stood, the emperor decided that the soldier who, without reasoning, had implicitly obeyed so extraordinary an order of his superior, was to be made a corporal; that the officer who, while on duty, for the sake of gambling had given the murderous order, was to be sent to Siberia, and that his pay was to go to the family of the poor Jew who had so iniquitously been murdered.—New York Sun.

The Subject of Lobster Culture.

A bulletin of the United States fish commission, just issued, contains an interesting paper, by Richard Rathbun, upon the subject of lobster culture. While the lover of lobster salad may regret to learn from this paper that the supply of lobsters, as well as their average size, is rapidly disappearing on many portions of the coast of America, he may take heart again from the account of the experiments which are being prosecuted by the fish commission at Wood's Holl, looking to the artificial propagation of lobsters. The hatching of small quantities of lobster eggs, as well as the eggs of other species of crustaceans, had been successfully accomplished, from time to time, by members of the fish commission party interested in embryological studies, and the possibility of conducting hatching operations on a small scale, and of carrying the young through at least the first few stages of growth, needed no further proof; but the question how to care for large masses of eggs, and especially for the young after hatching, has yet to be practically determined.—Washington Star.

The Second Rank of Royalty.

Ladies of the second rank of royalty in England lead very dull and humdrum lives. They are too high to find equals in society; they must be surrounded with a certain degree of state and ceremony; they have their people-in-waiting, everybody courtesies or kotows to them. But this is the extent of their grandeur. Their incomes are not to be compared with the revenues of the nobility; their jewels and toilets are inferior to the trappings of many of the ladies who wait on them; they have no great estates or mansions even, but must put up with apartments in some half-deserted palace, and the spectacle they present of impoverished royalty is pitiable rather than dignified. The nation grudges them their allowance, and threatens not to support their children.—London Letter.

A Sledge Cart for Threshing.

The Carthaginians invented a sort of sledge cart for threshing, and it was afterwards adopted in Italy. It consisted of a wooden frame like a sledge, into which a certain number of rollers, set round with projecting teeth, were fitted; these threshed the corn as they turned round when drawn over the floor by the cattle attached to the packing, which was further weighted by the driver, who sat in a sort of frame or chair placed upon it.—Boston Budget.

Trade Secrets of Calico Printers.

The printers in the calico-making mills of the Connecticut valley have a very close organization of their own in each neighborhood, and will not impart the secrets of their trade to any but their own sons or the sons of members of affiliated organizations.—Chicago Journal.

New Members of the House of Commons.

The habits of the new members of the British house of commons stagger the old stagers. In a recent debate on the Church of Scotland several members read their speeches at length. One new Scotch member showed a disposition to read what sounded very like a sermon. The speaker could not stand that, and advised him to speak without a manuscript.—London Letter.

IN FORD'S THEATRE.

AN EYEWITNESS' STORY OF THE ASSASSINATION OF LINCOLN.

A Change from Comedy to Terrible Tragedy—Booth's Leap to the Stage—A Stage Carpenter's Interpretation of the Assassin's Exclamation—Escape.

Twenty-one years ago occurred the greatest tragedy of American history. It was the assassination of President Lincoln in Ford's theater in this city. The story grows more interesting as time goes on. In this letter I wish to give you some curious gossip in regard to it, which you may not find in your libraries. Mr. Davis, who has been a leading lawyer of Washington since the days of James Buchannan, was present in Ford's theatre the night that Lincoln was shot. He chatted with me about the assassination the other night. Said he: "I had not intended to go to the theatre, but I saw it stated in the papers that both the president and Gen. Grant would be there, and I went more to see Grant than anything else. His fame at this time was in every one's mouth, but he had not been much at Washington, and I had not met him.

TRANSITION FROM COMEDY TO TRAGEDY.

"The play was, you know, 'Our American Cousin,' and the house was crowded. I sat within five or six rows of the front in the pit, and Joe Stewart, the six-foot, 200-weight of a man who attempted to catch the assassin, was immediately in front of me. President Lincoln entered the theatre with his party when Dundreary was telling why a dog wags its tail. The audience greeted the president with cheers and clapping of hands, and as he reached the door of his private box he turned and bowed to the audience. He then followed Mrs. Lincoln into the box, and took his seat at the front of it by her side. The interior of the box was lined with crimson velvet paper, and the people within it shown out plainly from this as a background. The front of the box was hung with curtains made of American flags, and between those flags the president looked out.

"The comedy went on until the third act, and the president's party seemed to enjoy themselves. Lincoln was sitting with his left arm on the balustrade of the box, and with Mrs. Lincoln's hand resting on his knee. In the midst of a scene a pistol shot rang out and a scream from Mrs. Lincoln drew my attention to the president. I saw clouds of smoke coming out between the flags, and through this I saw the president's head fall upon his chest. Then out of the smoke a form sprang down on the stage, his foot catching in the flag as he fell. It was John Wilkes Booth. Tall, thin black hair, and with eyes which glittered like those of a wild beast, his face was as white as chalk. He rose half upon his knees and waved a sword-like dagger which I can see glittering before my eyes now. I heard him say in tragic tones, 'Sic semper tyrannis,' and then he limped fast across the stage, going behind the scenes.

THE AUDIENCE WAS DUMBFOUNDED.

All this happened in an instant, and all the time Mrs. Lincoln was screaming. As Booth rush from the stage he pushed aside Laura Keene, who was ready to enter for her part, and within half a minute he was in the alley and away. The audience was dumbfounded for a moment. Then every one sprang to his feet, but my friend Joe Stewart was the only one who had attempted to seize Booth. He rushed through the orchestra, crushing violins and trombones in his efforts to get upon the stage, but the footlights burned his fingers, and when at last he clambered up he was too late. He was able to see Booth galloping out of the alley. A moment later the whole audience was in the street.

"Lincoln was carried across to the Peterson house, in which he died the next morning. I do not think Mrs. Lincoln ever recovered from the shock of that night. I did not see Grant, for you know he was prevented from attending the theatre by his baggage being left at the depot, instead of being brought to the hotel, as he had directed. On the trial of the conspirators I remember that a stage-shifter was among the witnesses, who, on being asked as to what Booth had said as he went across the stage, replied: 'He said: I am sick; send for McGinnis.'

"Among the men tried was a commission merchant whom I had done some business for. He sent a note for me to come and defend him. An orderly brought it. I refused, of course, though I did not believe him guilty. I would not have taken his case for $10,000. The feeling was such and the opprobrium of having anything to do with the assassin was so great that it would have been by no means safe."—"Carp" in Cleveland Leader.

The Perquisite of Cast-Off Clothes.

Another perquisite is the cast-off clothes. The valets and the ladies' maids are entitled to these, and are outraged if you make any contrary disposition of them. I once gave a child about my house some old pocket handkerchiefs, at which my valet protested; and I heard the little one retort: "You get the shirts." They often look smarter than those they serve, wearing their wardrobes sometimes on finer figures. I have heard of ladies who sold their satin to their maids, though never of a gentleman who bargained in old clothes with his man. When lovely woman really stoops to anything unworthy, she can descend to a point that leaves our sex far behind.—Gen. Badeau's Letter.

Value of an Overlooked Material.

A German writer remarks that the compound known as "Zelodelite," discovered by Simon, has not been used so much as its peculiar advantages would seem to suggest. It is prepared by mixing twenty to thirty parts of the powered glass with twenty parts of melted sulphur. This may be shaped into any design, and it cools into a strong hardnes, resisting boiling water and the strongest acids. It can be united at a heat of 400 degrees.—Arkansaw Traveler.

The Oil Well of Louisiana.

Although petroleum has been struck in the sulphur mines at Calcasia, La., no effort is made to save it, as the flow is not large. The quality is said to be superior, it being a lubricating oil worth $4 barrel.—Chicago Times.

A New York Society of Bachelors.

A society of bachelors has been organized in New York, and each member is to receive $500 on his wedding day. It is for the purpose of encouraging marriage.—Inter Ocean.

Was Offered a Thousand Apiece.

Before sailing for England James Russell Lowell is said to have refused a number of requests from publishers of magazines for articles, for which $1,000 was offered.

A Cattle Range in Florida.

Wyoming cattle kings have purchased 67,200 acres in Hillsboro and Manatee counties, Florida, for a cattle range. The price paid was $84,500 cash.—Inter Ocean.

D. T. Jewett, of St. Louis, is said to be the only man who ever served a "one-day term" in the United States senate.

The statement is made that the sale of Hawthorne's "Scarlet Letter" has now reached 130,000 copies.

Twenty-four tons of snuff were thrown into Dublin bay recently for non-payment of duty.

At a drum tap 9,000,000 soldiers could take arms in Europe.

ONE TOUCH OF NATURE.

Cruel and wild the battle:
Great horses plunged and reared,
And through dust-cloud and smoke-cloud,
Blood-red with sunset's angry flush,
You heard the gun-shot's rattle,
And, 'mid hoof-tramp and rush,
The shrieks of women speared.

For it was Russ and Turkoman—
No quarter asked or given;
A whirl of frenzied hate and death
Across the desert driven.
Look! the half-naked hordes give way,
Fleeing frantic without breath,
Or hope, or will; and on behind
The troopers storm, in blood-thirst blind,
While, like a dreadful fountain-play,
The swords flash up, and fall and slay—
Wives, grandsires, baby brows and gray,
Groan after groan, yell upon yell—
Are men but fiends, and is earth hell?

Nay, for out of the flight and fear
Spurs a Russian cuirassier;
In his arm a child he bears,
Her little foot bleeds; stern she stares
Back at the ruin of her race.
The small hurt creature sheds no tear,
Nor utters cry; but clinging still
To this one arm that does not kill
She stares back with her baby face.

Apart, fenced round with ruined gear,
The hurrying horseman finds a space,
Where, with face crouched upon her knee,
A woman cowers. You see him stoop
And reach the child down tenderly,
Then dash away to join his troop.

How came one pulse of pity there—
One heart that would not slay, but save—
In all that Christ-forgotten sight?
War there, far north by Neva's wave,
Some Russian girl in sleep-robes white,
Making her peaceful evening prayer,
That heaven's great mercy 'neath its care
Would keep and cover him to-night?

—Anthony Morehead in The Century.

The Celestials of New York.

New York has quite a number of rich Chinamen, but there are many more of the poverty-stricken, vicious class who have hard work to keep the spark of life within them. The better class and the married men remain on the Pacific coast as a rule. One seldom sees a Chinaman with a mustache in that city. The hair of the face indicates whether John is childless or the proud father of an heir, male or female. A man may not adorn his upper lip with hair until he has a son. A daughter coming subsequently entitles him to wear a full beard, although the whiskers of the Oriental are scraggy affairs. The advent of a baby girl at first born is regarded among the Chinese as a calamity. Wherever Chinamen obtain a residence the vicious and criminal secure a foothold. The Chinese quarter in New York is in Mott street, and a very large percentage of the Mongolians there obtain their living through running gambling games or keeping opium joints. Opium smoking is one of the bad habits which John takes with him wherever he goes, and which he introduces among his neighbors to a greater or less extent.—New York Cor. Philadelphia Call.

Appeals to the Lex Talionis.

However barbarous may be the custom of dueling, as such, it is still a fact of historical value that no dueling community ever yet failed to send out good soldiers in time of war. I have been told by old residents of Mississippi that the career of McClung at first stimulated appeals to the lex talionis, but that towards the last it acted as a deterrent example. The duel ceased to be a duel in the ordinary acceptation of the word and became a butchery. McClung, of course ran little or no risk, and it filled the public generally with a sickening contempt to realize that the leading men of Mississippi lived practically by the sufferance of a madman. To refuse to fight a duel with him was, of course, out of the question, but he was not allowed by the code. To fight him meant death. His skill with the pistol was fully up to that of Dr. Carver or Buffalo Bill with the rifle, difference in weapons being considered. On one occasion he killed a blackbird hopping about on the ground 20 yards distant.—Cor. Atlanta Constitution.

Inflamation of Transported Eggs.

Soon after it became the practice to transport eggs in large quantities and to long distances by railway trains it was found on their arrival that adhesion had taken place between the membranes of the yelk and those of the shell, so that the yelk could not be turned out of the shell unbroken. On examination by experienced pathologists this was found to be the result of true inflammation; the material of the adhesion was found to be precisely the same as that of the plastic exudation in inflammation of the lungs or bowels. Structureless and unorganized as it seems, the egg, even when fresh laid, is a living being, and capable of disease from external causes. The cause of this inflammation is undoubtedly the shaking and friction from the motion of the cars, and it can not but render the eggs more or less unhealthy as the products of inflammation can never be as salutary in food as those of healthy growth.—Chicago News.

The Largest Business in the World.

Alfred Krupp owns probably the largest business in the world dependent on one individual. The works within the town of Essen occupy more than 500 acres, half of which are under cover. According to a census taken in September, 1881, the number of hands employed by Mr. Krupp was 19,605, the number of their families 45,776, making 65,381 persons supported by his works. Mr. Krupp owns 547 iron mines in Germany. He owns four sea steamers, and there are connected with his Essen works 42 miles of railway, employing 28 locomotives and 883 cars, 62 horses with 191 wagons, and 40 miles of telegraph wires, with 35 stations and 55 Morse apparatuses. The establishment possesses a grand chemical laboratory, a photographic and lithographic steller, a printing office with three steam and six hand presses, and a bookbinding room. The establishment even runs a hotel in Essen.—New York Sun.

Robust Monks and Big Bludgeons.

Monks have become good fighters in Belgium. The Trappists in Chimay sent a petition that troops should be sent to their protection against robbers, and the general replied that eighty-four well-fed, robust monks, armed with big bludgeons, ought to be more than a match for any band of robbers. The monks took courage at this, and upon the next attack scattered their assailants in all directions.—Chicago Tribune.

A New Armor for War Vessels.

A Gloucester man has obtained letters patent on an armor for war vessels and forts. A shot will not penetrate a yielding obstruction as readily as it will a rigid one, and so he would insert spring batwen the plates and hull of a vessel or the walls of a fort.—Chicago Times.

Perhaps It Is Thus Everywhere.

An exchange, having stated that there is a demand for competent teachers in the west, The Boston Traveler remarks that "it is the same in New England."—Chicago Journal.

Some Interesting Railroad Statistics.

Edward Atkinson, the well-known statistician, presents figures to show that the railroads of the United States give employment to 650,000 people, and transport 400,000,000 tons of freight annually, one-half of which is food and fuel; and furthermore, it is proved that the freight rates are so low that the eastern mechanic can have a year's supply of food hauled from a distance of 1,000 miles for the proceeds of day's labor.—Chicago Herald.

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Middle-aged Men;
Married or single, who are prematurely old as a result of excesses or youthful follies, and who are troubled by too frequent evacuation of the bladder, often accompanied by a slight smarting or burning sensation, and finding a deposit of mucous sediment in the urine, and sometimes small particles of albumen will appear, or the urine may be of a pale color, of milky hue, and again white, like the white of an egg, and sometimes like the yolk of an egg, and again like the white of an egg, and again like the yolk of an egg, and again like the white of an egg, and again like the yolk of an egg, and again like the white of an egg, and again

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Friday, July 9, 1886.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided facts are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—There was no case at the Police Court to day.

—Read Cameron's address to the electors.

—If you want a modern building, have your plans made by Fisher the Architect.*

—Ice cream freezers at E. G. Prior's Government street.

—Mr. Duck will accept his salary as Finance Minister only up to the day of election.

—Millinery, Feathers and Flowers at cost. Childrens mantles and jackets at cost at the CITY HOUSE.

—The town at the first crossing of the Columbia river heretofore known as Farwell has been changed to Revelstoke.

—Ice cream in quantities to suit, delivered in any part of the city by Young Bros., New England Bakery.

—T. J. Jones, L.D.S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Government and Fort streets. Telephone Call No. 507.*

—Parties who laid their dust on the opposition carrying two seats in the New Westminster district are in great glee this afternoon.

—Ladies' Indian Gauze, Summer Merino and Silk and Wool Underware. Lightest goods manufactured for warm weather, at the CITY HOUSE.

—The junior member elect for Esquimalt, during his canvass, was most prolific in his promises. It is to be hoped he will be equally prompt in redeeming his pledges.

—A friend of the so-called "workingmen's candidate" suggests that a cash subsidy will be more acceptable than an office and less noticeable. Mr. Dunsmuir will fix it all right.

—Mrs. V. A. LePrince, Fashionable Dressmaker; wedding and mourning dresses a specialty. Dress makers wanted. Government street, next to Bank of British Columbia. †

—A beautiful dirk knife, part of a Highland costume set, was lost at the fire last Saturday night. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it with Mr. Frank Campbell.

—The thoroughbred Jersey Bull "El Rio," No. 13698, at Kelvin street, (opposite Tolmie's gate) Saanich Road. For particulars of service apply to F. REVELY, Victoria. P. O. Box 438. *

—A couple of ballot boxes are floating down the Fraser Victoria-wards in care of Messrs. Smithe and Robson, who understand figuring and "counting in" admirably.

—It has been rumored that Mr. Dunsmuir has offered Mr. Duck, ex-Finance Minister, a position of conductor on the Island Railway believing that he would be a good man to turn the sharp curves.

—DRESSMAKERS desirous of making up the most stylish and fashionable COSTUMES and MANTLES should inspect the new trimmings lately received by the City House.

—This evening at 7:30, the Rev. M. S. Levy, M. A., of Cincinnati, Cal., will deliver a sermon at the Synagogue on Light and Progress. Public are cordially invited.

—The Starr brought freight for: J Levy, V Guille, City of Victoria, S J Pitts, P McQuade & Son, McDonald Bros, W R & Co, T Earle, J Harkey, Marvin & Tilton, J Cunningham.

—So far the news from the mainland is encouraging for the friends of honest, pure government as opposed to monopolists, land grabbers and political profligates. Out of four districts heard from the opposition have carried three.

—The government organ in its count this morning ignored the premier and his reflex from Chemainus. The organ was right for once, as these gentlemen are as but clay in the potters hands with the Dunsmuir-Davie-Higgins patent combination.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver. *

—When you visit the city of Portland, Or., on business or pleasure, be sure and register at the St. Charles Hotel, which is centrally located and in the very centre of business. It is in every respect a first class hotel.

—At Tacoma, yesterday, Larry Kelly, the opium smuggler, was sentenced to three months in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $350. Fred Willis, who received the opium, was sentenced to one month.

—"What will they think of it in England," when it becomes known that one of the newly elected members to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, not long since thanked the Deity that he was not an Englishman!

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

—The oldest inhabitant does not recollect when $20 gold pieces were so abundant as they were in Esquimalt last Wednesday afternoon. They flavored strongly of Edgar balm, Lathers and Thorpe cordial and were slightly tinged with a substance believed to be Coal King's extract of extortion.

—The C. P. N. Co. is prepared to sell tickets to all points on the C. P. R. in the east, and will also receive freight, to be forwarded on Mondays and Fridays, for interior points. The steamers of this company will connect at Port Hammond on Mondays and on other days of the week at Port Moody, with the train.

ARRIVAL THIS DAY.

For the "Lansdowne House," Yates street, Hosiery, Braces, Bustles, Chinoilettes, Kid Gloves, etc., etc. JOHN PARTRIDGE, Proprietor.

FOR THE PACIFIC COAST.

OTTAWA, July 4.—Hon. Thos. White, Minister of the Interior, left for British Columbia last evening, accompanied by his private secretary. He expects to be absent four or five weeks. Sir John Macdonald will likely leave for the Pacific about the middle of the month.

A CANADIAN'S DOUBLE CRIME.

NEW YORK, July 7.—John Warren, a middle-aged Canadian, who with his son has been living in a flat on Ninth street for a few months, this morning shot his son and then killed himself. No cause for the crime is known.

HON. THOS. WHITE

To be Given a Reception and a Banquet on Arriving at Victoria.

At the meeting held in the City Hall this forenoon to make arrangements for the reception of the Hon. Thos. White, Mayor Fell presided and F. S. Barnard acted as Secretary. About fifteen or twenty of our leading citizens were present.

Mr. Baker, from the preliminary committee, reported that inasmuch as the reception of Mr. White was a matter for the citizens at large, it was deemed advisable that the address should emanate from the citizens, irrespective or independent of politics. He moved seconded by Mr. Prior that a committee of three gentlemen, who are outside of politics, be appointed to draft the address to be presented.

Mr. Shakespeare thought it was the duty of the Mayor and Council to take the initiative, and he was surprised that it had not been done before this.

Mayor Fell was not afraid to take the responsibility, but he wanted to see everything carried on harmoniously and thought it was quite proper that the matter should be referred to the citizens.

Mr. Grant suggested the names of the Mayor as representing the citizens, Mr. Rithet as representing the commercial men, and Mr. Earle in the absence of Mr. Todd, as representing the Board of Trade as a suitable committee to prepare an address.

Mr. Shakespeare said it would be an insult to a minister of the crown if he were permitted to come here and not receive an address from the Mayor and Council. He moved that the reception be left in the hands of the Mayor and Council.

Senator McDonald thought Mr. Shakespeare was drawing too fine a line. We were here as citizens and without our support the Mayor and Council could do little. There was nothing for us to quarrel about, the committee suggested by Mr. Grant was an excellent one.

Mr. Higgins favored the motion of Mr. Shakespeare to refer it to the Mayor and Council, that was a perfectly non-political body.

Mr. Baker explained that he did not mean to exclude politicians, but the representatives to either House at Ottawa.

The amendment was carried.

Mr. Baker recommended that in addition to the presentation of an address, a dinner or banquet be tendered to Mr. White, and on motion, Senator McDonald and Messrs. Prior, Crawford, Hall, McKenzie, I. Oppenheimer and Baker were appointed a committee to make the preparations.

It was understood that the address would be presented to Mr. White in the Victoria Theatre on the day following his arrival.

ON THE WING.

Railway and Water Route Notes—What is Going on in Transportation Circles.

Trains continue to arrive from the east sharp on time. They leave on their return trip equally as sharp.

Business at Port Moody station and wharf is now good. Incoming and outgoing trains and passengers gives the place a metropolitan appearance.

The first through freight train will arrive this evening, to be followed in a few days by another. Quick time has been made from Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg.

Preparations on an extensive scale are being made for the arrival of the first tea vessel direct from Yokobama, which is expected at Port Moody on the 19th inst. Cars are being gathered and sent forward in order that the cargo may be handled expeditiously. Once a train is loaded it will be sent flying across the continent at a rapid pace.

Until further notice the Port Moody steamer will leave Victoria for Port Moody at 2 a. m. instead of at 3 a. m. as heretofore.

The C. P. N. Company began to-day receiving freight for mainland points to go by Monday's steamer. Consignments will be received by them up till to-morrow evening. Freight for New Westminster and all points above Port Hammond will be shipped via the Fraser river route; Burrard Inlet freight by the Port Moody steamer.

After to-morrow night freight for mainland interior points will be transported twice a week from the terminus by the all-rail route.

The steamer Yosemite has been placed on the Fraser river route; the Princess Louise taking the Burrard Inlet route.

It will probably take a month to repair the injury sustained by the Rithet yesterday.

The Maude left this afternoon at four o'clock for Alberni.

FIRE AT KOOTENAY.

A fire at Kootenay, on the Northern Pacific, July 1st, consumed the dwelling house of Dr. Wilber A. Hendryx, manager of the Kootenay Mining and Smelting Company, and a storehouse belonging to that company; loss, about $8000. The blaze was caused by the igniting of some new patent stove polish that had been used to polish the stove. A sample of polish, with directions how to use, was thrown from the train the day before. It made a beautiful, bright polish on the cold stove, but when the fire was started for breakfast the whole stove burst into a flame, which as suddenly filled the room.

FAREWELL.

Professor Pferdner will to-morrow leave for the East for an extended holiday of five weeks. The German Singing Society and numerous other friends will banquet the genial Professor this evening, when no doubt a gay time will be had. We will be glad to see him return safely "The very pattern of a modern Major-General," ere "The flowers that bloom in spring, tra-la-la" fade.

A MATTER OF TIME ONLY.

Large shipments of canned salmon are being made to the east from Astoria, Or. Seventeen carloads were sent from that city recently. We are confident that a large trade will spring up in this direction from the Fraser River country which will dwarf Astoria's ashipments. The first shipment, *via* the C. P. R., of canned salmon, we will be pleased to chronicle.

ALREADY ALARMED.

A fast train is to be put on the Union Pacific Railroad between Omaha and Ogden. This will shorten the time considerably between the East and Portland, and will be quite an advantage to those who wish to go and come hurriedly. The cause of this is undoubtedly the quick time made by the Canadian Pacific from Eastern points to the Pacific, to meet which the American lines will do their utmost.

POULTRY EXHIBIT.

A gentleman interested in poultry wishes to know for what sort of a "collection" the prize of a special cup is offered, as per page 39 of the prize list. Is it the best collection owned by one exhibitor on the ground, or the best coop of fowl? Can fowl entered singly compete in the "collection?" Will some person rise and explain.

THANKS.

THE TIMES staff extend their thanks to Savory & Co. for a present of half a dozen bottles of pure apple cider manufactured by Savory & Co., Victoria. The article is delicious and quite in keeping with our temperance ideas.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Hon. John Robson came down from New Westminster last night.

Mr. Robert Dunsmuir arrived from Nanaimo last evening.

Mr. Justice Gray has returned from Nanaimo.

Mr. T. D. Merrill, of Saginaw, Mich., is at the Driard.

Mr. Henry Taylor, of Glasgow, Scotland, is in Victoria.

Messrs. F. A. MacNaughten and W. M. Swinburne, London, Eng., are at the Driard.

M. A. Rothschild, San Francisco, is in the city.

Mr. W. Dumbleton and Misses E. A. and C. Dumbleton, London, England, arrived through by the C. P. R. last evening.

Mr. H. Clinton, Vancouver, came over yesterday.

Passengers outgoing by the Amelia this morning: Mrs L G McQuade and children, Mrs G Morris, and G Riley.

F. Richter, of Hope, left for home this morning.

J. Foetz, of Plumper's Pass, is in the city.

Mr. Wm. Lawrence, Chilliwhack, is in the city.

Mr. John Reid, New Westminster, is at the Occidental.

C. F. Strickland, Magnolia, Miss., and Doc. Hanley, London, are at the Occidental.

Thos. Deasy, assistant engineer V.F.D., who has been indisposed for some time, is out again and ready to respond to the fire bell's call.

Passengers by the Geo. E. Starr: McMorton, Swineford, Taylor, W A Whaley, Rubensiate, D H Mills, Galley, Miss Etis, C Thane, R Sherven, Stewart, S Lewis, Van Hory and wife, W J Ball and wife, J Young, T Guille, Cunningham, M Rothschild, Mr McKene, F Gitke, F D Merrill, L Rostene.

MARINE.

The bark Alden Besse has sailed for Tacoma to load lumber for Hongkong.

The Von Moltke, lumber ladened for Shanghai, has put to sea.

Alden Besse was towed out of the harbor this afternoon. She goes to Tacoma to load lumber and will return again in a month or two to take Chinamen to China.

THE NEW LINE.

The Rev. T. Somerville's lecture, at Philharmonic Hall, brought out a full house. The President of the Institute, Mr. Jessop, Mayor Fell, Messrs. A. B. Gray and J. E. McMillan were on the platform. A diagram of the line across the continent was painted on canvass and used in illustrating the remarks of the speaker. Comparisons were made of the old journey round by Panama with the new one by the C. P. R., and the country traversed by the latter and the magnificent scenery of this province was eloquently described. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Somerville at the close. The collection taken up amounted to $50.50.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

We wish to call special attention to nice assortment of millinery and straw goods now being opened which will be found of the latest styles and most fashionable colors. Also to a variety of new dress materials plushes, laces, mitts, gloves, etc. These goods comprise the latest novelties in the market, and were selected personally by Mr. E. White, and are marked at prices that will insure speedy sale.

BROWN & WHITE.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Last night the following officers of Court Northern Light, 5935, A. O. F., were installed for the ensuing term: Chief Ranger, Bro. J. H. Hughes; Sub-Chief Ranger, Bro. W. Nicholas; Treasurer, Bro. E. J. Salmon; Secretary, Bro. H. L. Salmon; Senior Woodward, Bro. G. Barron; Junior Woodward, Bro. G. Phillips; Senior Beadle, Bro. B. Aarouson; Junior Beadle, E. Bragg.

BRIBERY IN KOOTENAY.

The following is an extract from a letter written by a Farwell gentleman to a friend in this city: "I think that Brown will get in. Baker is scattering money pretty freely, but as far as I can learn Brown is the favorite. The talk here is that money has been sent from Victoria to elect Baker; any way I see men spending money freely that cannot afford to do so of their own."

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

On account of my new place of business not being yet ready for occupancy, I shall continue my clearance sale of Groceries at the old stand, corner of Douglas and Cormorant streets, for one week longer. Will sell good Tea, Green, Black or Mixed, for 25 cents per pound; best Roll Butter, 75 cents; best light brown Sugar, 12 lbs. for $1; 11 lbs. of the best Granulated Sugar for $1, and all other goods in proportion. Give us a call.

N. PORTMAN.

A COMMEMORATE PICTURE.

Mr. T. S. Gore has laid on our table a photograph of the first through passenger train, taken by him a few seconds after the arrival of the train at Port Moody. It is a capital photo, true to life and one that will meet with a large sale. Many well known prominent Victorians are observable and as easily distinguished as they would be on our streets. The work is a very creditable one to Mr. Gore's ability as an amateur photographer.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The examination of teachers is in progress to-day at the Agricultural Hall, which was required for the purpose in consequence of the large number, almost eighty or eighty-five that have come forward. The examiners are Superintendent Pope, Rev. Mr. Fraser, M.A., and Mr. F. G. Walker, B.A., and their work will continue until the middle of next week.

Reduced Prices.

Shipping Receipt Books, duplicate, 100 in book, 60 cents each.

Manilla Wrapping and Straw, at reduced prices.

Reduced Paper Bag list.

Envelopes at reduced prices.

Photographs of Vancouver before the fire.

At THE BRITISH COLUMBIA STATIONERY AND PRINTING CO. (Limited)
Late J. B. FERGUSON & Co.

OUR CLIMATE.

Mr. Dewe, Chief P. O. Inspector is delighted with Victoria's climate. He spent a season in Italy recently and says there is nothing there to equal, in salubrity and agreeableness, the weather with which we are now being favored.

THE ISLAND RAILWAY.

The last spike on the Island Railway will be driven in about one month from the present time. The Victoria terminus although not yet definitely located, will most probably be on the Indian reserve across the harbor.

PAINTING.

Classes in oil painting, drawing and decorative work of various kinds will be opened Wednesday, June 23d, by Mrs. E. J. Miller, in the room over Mr. Waitt's music store. For particulars apply to M. W. Waitt & Co.

Mrs. E. J. Miller will re-open her classes in painting and drawing, July 14th, in room over Shears & Page's dry goods store, Government street.

A FIGHT WITH AN ALLIGATOR.

The Wild Freak of a Young Englishman Hunting in Georgia.

A Darien (Ga.) correspondent writes: M Henry Todd, one of our oldest and wealthest citizens, tells the following amusing story:

"It is now about fifty years since I happened to make the acquaintance of a young English naval officer who had come to visit some relatives on this side of the Atlantic. He was fiery, ambitious, and daring to such an extent that to encourage him in some of his plans would have led to the most Quixotic enterprises. Luckily, his first visit was of short duration, and as he always looked to me for cooperation in his wild schemes, a feeling of relief came over me when he was ready to bid farewell.

"'Next year I return,' he said, as he vigorously shook my hand, 'and we will then have some glorious sport.' I thought that once in his native land he would soon forget his promise, but it proved otherwise. He returned a year later as full of life as ever. Day after day passed, and startling proposals followed in quick succession. To kill rattlesnakes and moccasins seemed to him one of the charming occupations of life, and the greater the danger that accompanied any of his plans the less he could resist it. One day he came and proposed to go alligator hunting, and, displaying a gleaming dagger, he said: 'I propose to finish one with this today.' He had two white duck suits, and he donned one, while he made me put the other on in honor of his anticipated victory. I felt nervous as to the result of his fool-hardy resolution to battle an alligator with such a weapon, but nevertheless I determined to humor him so far as it was safe to do so. High up on a mud flat a huge monster soon appeared basking himself in the sun. The water being at a low stage we had hard work getting our boat up to where he was lying.

"He was fast asleep, however, and we managed to get within three or four feet of him. I touched him with the oar. He seemed dazed, and with his jaws wide open he made for the bow of the boat. I saw the Englishman's dagger glitter in the sun, but apprehending danger, I shoved the end of the oar into the threatening gap. Resistance seemed of no avail, however. The brute appeared determined to get into the boat. I saw the Englishman keel over, and in a second he was completely buried in the mud. I made an attempt to pass the alligator, and get to my friend's rescue, but a violent stroke from the monster's tail, landed me in the mud on the opposite side of the boat. After a desperate effort I managed to get hold of the boat, but was completely blinded with the mud. Thinking of my friend, I sang out a faint halloo, and in response came a despairing groan. We presented a pitiful spectacle—a strange contrast to the gay, duck-clothed gentleman of an hour ago. The Englishman never proposed a hunt after this experience.

"Many years after this, in glancing through an English newspaper, giving an account of the social life of the officers of a certain English squadron, I found that an alligator story of a captain had made him quite a name, and in perusing this story I recognized every little detail of our adventure."—Atlanta Constitution.

Cuban Children's Sunday Masked Ball.

It was scarcely 10 o'clock and the masses were not yet over in the churches, when from the balcony in front of my window in the Hotel Inglaterra, overlooking the prado or park, I observed numerous little boys and girls, in dominos and fancy dresses the most varied description and richest materials, walking along the streets and under the shade of the evergreen Indian laurel trees in the park. They all were attended by parents or nurses, and they all directed their steps to a large building, large not only because of the area it covers, but because it had three stories—an unusual thing in Cuba—and which was directly across the park.

I hailed a passer-by and asked him what this matutinal and sudden eruption of infantile Mephistopheleseses, Capuchin monks, toreadors, Mary queen of Scots, vivandieres signified. With a smile at my ignorance he replied, 'Why, it's the carnival children's masked ball they are going to.' This explained the passion of the Cubans for masked balls. They are brought up them from childhood. Imagine a children's masked ball given by the Union club in its house on a Lenten Sunday morning in New York and you will understand why club life in Cuba is not at first thoroughly understood by the visiting New Yorkers. The little tots went to their ball in the Casino Espanol and danced and chattered in the dominos and pretty dresses the hot afternoon through, and then at 5 o'clock came out to watch the long possession of carriages filled with maskers, which for an hour drove by the principal hotels and club-houses and made high sport, as is done abroad in carnival time.—Cor. New York Times.

Daylight in the Land of Islam.

Daylight has, indeed, made visible progress in the land of Islam. The young Turkish party laughs at the ordinances of Rhamadam, the Mohammedan Lent, and and many wealthy Turks are liberal patrons of the fine arts, in direct defiance of the by-laws against pictorial imitations of Allah's works. The commandment of the three daily prayers the citizens of modern Stamboul mostly observe after the fashion of Ibrahim Pasha, who on the eve of his departure for the Wahabee campaign advised his troops to pray for a month in advance, as he would not answer for another opportunity after crossing the hostile border. The Arabs, on the other hand, stick to their Koran. They recognize the sultan as the military chief of Islam, but have a proverb that ten Turks and ten Franks make a score of infidels.—Dr. Felix L. Oswald.

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A GOVERNMENT AUGEAN STABLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Some person, no doubt kindly disposed towards the Post, has had the goodness to make them a present of a couple of brooms, evidently with the intention of cleaning up some of the government dirt that has accumulated there for some time. But, bless you, what did they do with them? Poor innocent souls; ignorant of the use of such a necessary household implement, and consequently not knowing how to use them, they came to the conclusion they were ornaments—Japanese fans, such as one sees parlors adorned with, and accordingly, in order to show off, I suppose, displayed them with childish pride in front of their office. I would seriously suggest to the well-meaning, but ill-advised donor, if he is in earnest to see the filth and dirt accumulated in that little office, effectually removed, to have the government furnish all hands with pitchforks and shovels; nothing less will do that augean stable.

HERCULES.

BROKEN SHAFT.

The steamer Rithet broke her shaft when off Cadboro Bay yesterday, and was towed in by the Maude, which went to her assistance. The Louise, which arrived at ten o'clock brought in the Rithet's passengers.

GOLD MEDAL.

Miss Clara Phillips, daughter of Mr. Alex. Phillips, carried off the gold medal at St. Ann's Convent examination yesterday, and stands at the head of the school.

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